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## PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS.

[Reports to the Surgeon-General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service.]

*Permanent organization of public health commission of California.*

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., April 30, 1904.

Joint conference met to-day this laboratory and effected permanent organization under name of public health commission of California. Members of commission: Officers Marine-Hospital Service, members and officers State and municipal boards of health, medical officers merchant marine and inland transportation companies, president and secretary merchants' joint committee, finance committee of city board supervisors, and ex-presidents State and municipal boards of health; governor and mayor members ex officio. Following officers elected: Officer in command service, president; one vice-president each from State and municipal boards; secretary municipal board to be secretary commission. Object, general supervision of State sanitary affairs. Present at meeting: Doctors Regensburger, Foster, Ainsworth, Ward, Stinson, Poheim, Hughes, Ragan, Hassler, Levy, Blue, Cumming, Currie, Trotter, Woolsey, Dickie, Mathewson, O'Neill, Medros, and Messrs. Symmes and King.

BLUE.

WYMAN, Washington.

*Summary of work in Chinatown, San Francisco, for the week ended April 30, 1904.*

The following is received from Passed Assistant Surgeon Blue, under date of May 2:

*Week ended April 30.*

Buildings reinspected.....	177
Rooms .....	1, 032
Persons inspected .....	1, 255
Sick .....	14
Sick prescribed for at Oriental Dispensary .....	10
Dead examined .....	3
.....	1
Rats examined bacteriologically .....	36
Number showing plague infection .....	None.
Places limed and disinfected .....	810
Times streets swept.....	3
Sewers flushed .....	17
Notices sent to abate plumbing nuisances .....	10
Plumbing nuisances abated .....	3
Plumbing nuisances undergoing abatement .....	18
Total number plumbing inspections .....	173
Sewers baited with phosphorous poison .....	24
Blocks baited with Danyz virus .....	10